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OHIO SLAVIC CALENDAR

WINTER QUARTER 1985 - TELEVISION AND RADIO PROGRAMS

"Soviet Union and Eastern Europe in Perspective" - Television

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| Wednesdays | 1:00 PM | Channel 3 on all cable systems |
| Fridays | 7:30 PM | Channel 3 on all cable systems |

"Soviet Union and Eastern Europe in Perspective" - Radio

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| Sundays | 4:30 PM | WOSU Radio AM 820 |
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February 22-24 "Diaghilev and the Ballet Russes" - programs and exhibits sponsored by Allen Memorial Art Museum, Oberlin College. For information call Elizabeth Sheperd (216) 775-8665.

February 23 from 7:00-8:00 am Television Presentation on Mt. Athos,
and Hilandar, Channel 12 on Warner Amex (Qube)
February 24 from 3:00-4:00 pm and Channel 25 on all other cable systems
in the Columbus area.

NOTES OF INTEREST

"DIAGHILEV AND THE BALLETS RUSSES," sponsored by Allen Memorial Art Museum, Oberlin College. will examine the work of Russian Ballet producer and art critic Sergei Diaghilev (1872-1929) from historical, social, and artistic contexts. Diaghilev's collaboration with noted writers, artists, dancers choreographers and composers has had a continuing impact, especially in stage and costume design. Programs scheduled for February 22, 23, and 24 will coincide with a unique exhibit of fifteen original costumes. Humanities scholars representing the fields of literature and art history will discuss the Diaghilev phenomenon, using slides and a demonstration workshop by the Cleveland Ballet to illustrate its influence today. For additional information on this program, contact project director Elizabeth Shepherd at (216) 775-8665.

USDA ANNOUNCES USSR S&T EXCHANGES TO RESUME. USDA Secretary John Block has announced that scientific and technological exchanges on agriculture with the Soviet Union will resume for the first time in five years. The agreement came following a meeting between Block and Soviet Agriculture Minister Valentin Karpovich Mesyats on the Secretary's Illinois farm and involves only agriculture. The agricultural exchanges, initiated in 1973, ended in 1980 after the U.S. grain embargo in response to the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan.

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

THE AMERICAN PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY supports scholarly research projects. Research Grants are awarded to assist the work of individual scholars of all disciplines. Applicants normally are expected to have a doctorate, but other exceptional applicants will be considered. Research by younger and less well-established scholars is encouraged. Maximum grant is \$3,500. Deadlines are: 4/1/85, 8/1/85 and 10/1/85.

NEH ANNOUNCES BASIC RESEARCH PROGRAMS. The National Endowment for the Humanities has announced deadlines for activities under its Basic Research Program. 1) Project Research - support for research in all fields of the humanities, including archaeology and regional studies projects. Deadline is 3/1/85. 2) Research Conferences - support for a limited number of conferences, symposia, and workshops to enable scholars to discuss and advance the current state of research on a particular topic or to consider means of improving conditions for research or inquiry. Deadline is 2/15/85.

ARMS CONTROL TEACHER FELLOWSHIPS. The Carter Center of Emory University will host a major international consultation on arms control in Atlanta, April 11-15. Diplomats and defense analysts will meet for a week to assess the Soviet and Western military postures and related issues to discern possible areas of agreement on arms limitation.

Fellowships are offered to social studies teachers, (grades 7-12), to join a team of colleagues in observing the consultation and developing a curriculum unit that will be distributed by the Carter Center. Fellowships cover costs of transportation and room and board for five days. Letters of application should concisely describe candidates' knowledge of and experience in teaching about arms control or Soviet affairs. Include relevant unit or course syllabus and letter of recommendation from administrator or supervisor. Send all materials by February 20 to Linda Helms, Teacher Fellowship Coordinator, The Carter Center, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia, 30322.

BIBLIOGRAPHIES AND SOURCE MATERIALS

BIOGRAPHIC DIRECTORY OF SOVIET OFFICIALS. Radio Liberty Research has compiled and published a new Biographic Directory of 100 Leading Soviet Officials up to date through August 1984. It contains over 200 pages of detailed information on the careers of current members of the top Party and government organizations, officials of the armed forces and heads of many other important organizations and committees. Profiles include such data as posts and promotions, publications, travel abroad, awards, patrons, areas of expertise, etc. To order contact: Mrs. Justine Woollard, RFE/RL, Inc., 1775 Broadway, New York, NY 10019 or Public Affairs Office, RFE/RL, Inc., Oettingenstrasse 67, 8 Munich 22, W. Germany.

THE KENNAN INSTITUTE FOR ADVANCED RUSSIAN STUDIES has sent a list of its recent Occasional Papers to all AAASS members. Anyone who has not received it and would like a copy of the list and order form should send a request to: Occasional Papers, Kennan Institute, Wilson Center, 1000 Jefferson Dirve., SW, Washington, DC 20560.

NEW GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS. A free bi-monthly listing of all new and revised books and periodicals for sale from the US Government Printing Office is available from: New Books, US Government Printing Office, Stop: MK, Washington, DC 20401.

SUMMER 1985 - STUDY PROGRAMS ABROAD

POLAND - University of Minnesota offers students an opportunity to study the Polish language and culture at the Marie Curie-Sklodowska University in Lublin, Poland. The program is of six-weeks duration. Academic credit will be granted. Deadline: March 1, 1985. For further information and application contact: Extension Classes, Office of Study Abroad, 202 Wesbrook Hall, University of Minnesota, 77 Pleasant Street, S.E., Minneapolis, MN 55455.

THE 1985 SOCIAL SCIENCES STUDY PROGRAM IN BUDAPEST. The Interdisciplinary Social Sciences Summer Program in Hungary is open to qualified U.S. graduate students in the social sciences, law, and international business. Those pursuing advanced-level studies (M.A., Ph.D., M.B.A. or J.D.) in the society, history, politics, economics, business, and law of Eastern Europe or of the U.S.S.R. are encouraged to apply.

The six-week program will be held at the Karl Marx University for Economic Sciences in Budapest, Hungary. It is sponsored by the University of Connecticut and Indiana University, with the help of a Fulbright-Hays group projects abroad grant for the U.S. Department of Education, in

~~cooperation with the Institute for History, Economics and Sociology of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences.~~

Application Procedure: Letters of application, transcript, and letter of reference should be sent to: Indiana University, Office of Overseas Study, Student Services 303, Bloomington, IN 47405. Application deadline is March 4, 1985. For additional information contact: Professor Rudolf Tokes, Professor of Political Science, 212 Nathan East, Whetten Graduate Center U-6, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT 06268, (203) 486-3855. Professor Gyorgy Ranki, Hungarian Chair Professor, Department of Uralic and Altaic Studies, Goodbody Hall 142, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 47405, (812) 335-0460 or 335-0959.

POLISH-JEWISH RELATIONS. Polish Language, History and Culture; Economics and Foreign Trade; Folk Art and Ethnography; Folk Dance Workshop; Teaching the Polish Language; Intensive Polish Language; and Polish Art. The Kosciuszko Foundation is sponsoring eleven summer sessions in Poland, in four cities. Students and adults may participate in these special program for foreigners conducted at Poland's leading universities and cultural centers. Minimum requirement is 18 years of age and high school graduation. All programs, which are three to six weeks long, include tours of Poland as well as classroom and extracurricular activities. For most programs, no previous knowledge of the Polish language is required, and college credit is available. Complete costs, inclusive of tuition, full room and board, travel within Poland and round-trip transatlantic airfare, are approximately \$1,500. Application deadline: February 15, 1985. Contact: Summer Sessions, The Kosciuszko Foundation, 15 East 65th Street, New York, NY 10021.

THE BOOKS AND LIBRARIES OF THE SOVIET UNION AND EASTERN EUROPE: Collections, Computers and Cooperation, May 29 - June 16, 1985. Organized by Citizen Exchange Council, this tour will be led by Edward Kasinec, Chief of the Slavonic Division, New York Public Library and Co-chair of the Bibliography and Documentation Committee of the American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies. This professional study-tour is designed for librarians working in research libraries, staff of the book publishing industry, academic researchers, and all those interested in the book in Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union. Participants will visit Leningrad, Kiev and Moscow, Warsaw, Poland, and Prague. The cost is \$2299 per person. For further information contact: CEC, 18 East 41st Street, New York, NY 10017, (212) 889-7960.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY currently offers employment opportunities for individuals with Russian and/or East European language skills, Assignments involve the translation of foreign language materials in a

~~variety of subjects pertaining to national security, the editing of translations to ensure their accuracy and clarity, and the preparation of intelligence reports for dissemination to analysts and policy makers. Some of these assignments may be performed on a computer terminal or word processor. Positions are in the Washington, D.C. area. Starting salaries are \$17,000 to \$26,00 or higher depending upon qualifications and experience. To apply send resume to Personnel Representative (QG), Department A, Room 821, P.O. Box 1925, Washington, D.C. 20013.~~

CONFERENCES AND MEETINGS

March 5-9, 1985. The 26th annual convention of the **International Studies Association** on the theme "Emergent Structures and Persistent Patterns in a Waning Century" will be held at the Washington Hilton Hotel, Washington, D.C. Contact: International Center, University of South Carolina, Columbia, S.C. 29208.

March 21-22, 1985. Duke University will sponsor a major international symposium on "**East-West Multinational Co-Ventures.**" Speakers will include senior corporate executives from the United States, the Soviet Union, Hungary, and other Eastern European countries. General chairman of the conference will be Terry Sanford, President, Duke University.

The meeting will be co-sponsored with Case Western Reserve University, Ohio State University, and the **International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA)** in Vienna. Soviet and other Eastern European executives will be obtained with the assistance of IIASA and the Budapest Chamber of Commerce. Contact: Center for Corporate Economics and Strategy, Duke University, Durham, NC 27706.

March 26-28, 1985. The annual meeting of the **British Universities Association of Slavists at Leeds.** Contact: Dr. A.L. Tait, Hon. Secretary, BUAS, Dept. of Russian Language and Literature, U. of Birmingham, P.O. Box 363, Birmingham B15 2TT, UK.

March 28-30, 1985. New College of the University of South Florida will sponsor its **3rd Biennial Conference on East Central Europe, Russia, and the Soviet Union.** Contact: Laszlo Deme, Program Chair, Div. of Social Sciences, New College, U. of South Florida, Sarasota, FL 33580.

April 11-13, 1985. **17th Annual Conference on the Teaching of Foreign Languages:** "Focus on Quality: Creative Foreign Language Education" - Radisson Muchlebach Hotel, Kansas City, Missouri. Contact: Prof. Gerard Ervin, Executive Secretary, CSA, Department of Slavic and East European Languages and Literatures, The Ohio State University, 232 Cunz Hall, 1841 Millikin Road, Columbus, Ohio 43210.

April 19-21, 1985. The **Midwest Slavic Conference** will hold its annual meeting in South Bend, Indiana under the joint sponsorship of the University of Notre Dame and Indiana University at South Bend. Contact the Program Chair: George Brinkley, Government Dept., U. of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN 46556.

April 24-27, 1985. **The Slavic Studies Section of the Western Social Science Association** will meet at the Americana Hotel, Ft. Worth, TX. Contact: Ralph E. Glatfelter, Dept. of History, Utah State U., Logan, UT 84322.

April 27, 1985. The annual meeting of the **Mid-Atlantic Conference of the AAASS** will be held at Cornell University. Walter Pintner, Dept. of History, Cornell U., Ithaca, NY 14850 or Helen Segall, Dickinson College, Carlisle, PA 17013.

April 25-28, 1985. **Northeast Conference on Teaching Foreign Languages**, New York Hilton Hotel in New York City. For information contact Northeast Conference, P.O. Box 623, Middlebury, VT 05753.

April 26-27, 1985. **The University of Kentucky Foreign Language Conference** is planning several sessions devoted to Slavic and East European languages, literature and linguistics. Selected papers will be published in the Proceedings. Contact: Boris Sorokin, Dept. of Slavic and Oriental Languages, Patterson Office Tower 1105, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40506-0027.

May 15-17, 1985. The Center for Balkan and Slavic Studies of the University of Chicago is hosting the **4th International Conference on the Non-Slavic Languages of the Soviet Union**. Contact: Howard I. Aronson or Bill J. Darden, Center for Balkan and Slavic Studies, University of Chicago, 1010 E. 59th St., Chicago, IL 60637; (312) 962-8522.

May 18, 1985. **Call for Papers. A conference on the cultures of the Caucasus** is being held at the University of Chicago in conjunction with the 4th International conference on the non-Slavic Languages of the Soviet Union. Papers dealing with the literatures, folklore, ethnography, history, and music of the Caucasian peoples are solicited. Contact Howard Aronson or Bill Darden as above.

August 5-7, 1985. Annual Meeting of **American Association of Agricultural Economists**. During this meeting a panel will be devoted to agricultural reform in the Soviet Union and China.

August 10-11, 1985. **International Symposium of Teachers of Russian Language and Literature:** "Principy sopostavlenija v izucenii jazykov, literatur i kul'tur," held in Juvjaskjulja, Finland. Contact: Aila Pesonen, Secretary, Orgkomitet, Neuvostoliittoinsituutti armfeltinitie 10, 00150 Helsinki 15 Finland.

October, 1985. The 9th Annual Conference for Foreign Language Teachers at Youngstown State University. Workshops and other presentation on topics related to the teaching of foreign languages at all levels. Inquiries to Conference for Foreign Language Teachers, Department of Foreign Languages, Youngstown State University, Youngstonw, Ohio 44555.

October 25-26, 1985. Call for Papers. **The 3rd Conference on Ukrainian Economics**, at the Harvard Ukrainian Research Institute. The Conference will be devoted to an analysis of integrative processes in the Ukrainian

~~economy from Kievan Rus to World War I. Those who wish to present papers should send a brief abstract immediately to: Prof. I.S. Koropecy, Dept. of Economics, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA 19122.~~

October 30-November 4, 1985. **The III World Congress for Soviet and East European Studies**, hosted by the AAASS and co-sponsored by the AAASS and ICSEES, will be held at the Sheraton Washington Hotel, Washington, D.C. Contact: AAASS, 128 Encina Commons, Stanford University, Stanford, CA 94305; (415) 497-9668.

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July, 1986. Call for Papers. **First International Romanian Studies Congress**, Paris, France. Contact: Prof. Walter M. Bacon, Jr., Department of Political Science, University of Nebraska, Omaha, Nebraska 68182. (402) 554-3614 (office) or 556-9042 (home).

November 20-23, 1986. **The 18th National Convention of the AAASS**, hosted by the Southern Conference for Slavic Studies, will take place in new Orleans at the Hyatt Regency Hotel.